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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Champ Clark, of Missouri, re-nominated for Congressman. —— Total loss of life by the exposion in Utah mines, 250. —— Americans occupied four towns on the island of Madinduque without opposition, the Filipinos taking to the mountains. —— It is feared that the fifteen missing men from the wrecked steamer Virginia are lost. —— Rev. Dr. Keiley has been appointed by Pope Leo bishop of Savannah, Ga. —— Burglars dynamited the safe of the First National bank of East Brady, Pa.; the loss is estimated at over $6,000. —— Senator Butler says the Pop. convention at Sioux Falls will nominate Bryan for the presidency by acclamation. —— The Democratic State Committee will meet Thursday to appoint a central committee. —— The Corporatiod Commission has received no intimation from railroads that they intend to stop the tax suit. —— Cholera is strengthening its hold on famine-stricken India. —— The situation in South Africa is practically unchanged; the Boers are retiring northward, their rear guard fighting the advance of the British forces. —— New York markets; Money on call easy at 2 per cent.; last loan at 2 per cent.; cotton quiet; middling uplands 9½c; flour quiet and about steady; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red 80½c; corn—spot steady; No. 2, 45⅝c; rosin quiet; strained common to good $1.60; spirits turpentine quiet at 50½@51.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., May 5.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 68 degrees; maximum, 78 degrees; minimum, 58 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, T.; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .24 inches.

Stage of water at 8 A. M. at Fayetteville 6.4 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—For North Carolina: Generally fair Sunday and Monday; fresh southerly winds.

Port Almanac---May 6.

Sun Rises	5.03 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.50 P. M.
Day's Length	13 H. 47 M.
High Water at Southport	1.16 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington	3.46 A. M.

As a politician Dewey is making progress. He has begun to kiss the children. He kissed two at St. Louis.

Gen. Roberts can sympathize with Richard No. 3. He wanted only one horse, but wanted it bad, while "Bobs" wants a good many.

The Philadelphia *Times* has been sold to a syndicate for $1,200,000. The veteran editor, Col. McClure, who made the *Times* the great paper it is, will still preside as editor-in-chief.

Mark Hanna says there is "no way of figuring out how the Republican party can lose." He thinks he has the figures in his hat, and he will do the figuring out and figure McKinley in.

The bottom is falling out of a part of Newark, N. J., where the houses are sinking so fast that the occupants are moving out. They were built on a quicksand deposit too near a hole without a reachable bottom.

The Smith family, which is still somewhat in evidence, have been so from away back. An antiquarian rummaging among the papyri of old Egypt found a man named Smith 227 B. C. He was a beer-maker, and ran a saloon, too.

The German Government has consented to admit American beef to that country, but insists on drawing the line on sausage and canned beef. There is too much mystery in the former and too much of a good many other things in the other.

It is now estimated that it will cost the British $750,000,000 to bring the Boers to taw, and when they succeed in doing that it will cost a good deal more to keep them at taw. That is a costly job which Chamberlain put up for them.

For a retired widow ex-Queen Lilioukalani of Hawaii can manage to scuffle along without a pension from this Government, as she has an income of $25,000 a year from property left her by a brother, and living is cheap in Hawaii.

At Carolina Beach.

Mr. H. A. Kure has engaged a force of twenty-five carpenters and laborers to go with him to morrow morning to Carolina Beach to arrange matters about his buildings there preparatory to the opening of the season. Mr. Kure says he will have at his disposal about fifty rooms, and that he will change the name of his boarding house to the Carolina Beach Hotel. He says that he has purchased the cottage of Mr. W. L. Smith, next door to his own place, and will build a dining room 46x18 feet for the accommodation of his patrons.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The Clyde steamer passed down for her New York trip at 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

— Twenty-four arrests were made by the police during the past week, one half of which were colored and one half white.

— The blackboards at the Produce Exchange were given a re-painting yesterday, which added much to the appearance of things in the rooms.

— The Fishblate Clothing Company is furnishing the conductors and motormen of the Street Railway Company with their new Summer uniforms.

— Captain Wilkes Morris, auctioneer, advertises the sale of a horse, drays and harness in front of store No. 9 North Water street to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

— A small blaze occasioned by a curtain blowing over a lamp at the residence of George Rountree, Esq., No. 407 South Third street, last night at 9.58 o'clock, called out the department in response to an alarm from box 46, but the damage was slight.

— The Norwegian barque *Inverdruie*, with a cargo of rosin for Stettin, and the schooner *John D. Long*, with lumber for Providence, sailed yesterday morning from Southport at 10 o'clock on their respective voyages.

— The Atlantic Manufacturing Company is installing new machinery for the manufacture of baking powder in its factory in the old C. F. & Y. V. passenger depot on North Water street. Operations will begin about June 1st.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Jas. D. Nutt—Purity.
J. Weil—Just received.
S. & B. Solomon.—Don't.
Dingelhoef Bros.—Your nose.
At Auction—Horse and dray.
S. W. Sanders—Illinois butter.
Fishblate Clothing Co.—Special.
Second Regiment Band—Concert.
N. F. Parker—Seasonable informa'n.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Ladies' wrappers
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Memorial week.
G. R. French & Sons.—Find relief.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Large shipments.
Geo. O. Gaylord's Branch Store—She came back.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. T. Sears, of the Angola Lumber Company, returned from Norfolk yesterday morning.

— Mr. J. G. Thompson, the clever president of the American Fruit and Produce Travellers' Association, is in the city to spend Sunday.

— Mr. J. Emery Meek, representing the H. W. John's Manufacturing Company of New York, was here yesterday on a business trip.

— Mr. John F. Soden, of the clerical force in the General Superintendent's office of the A. C. L., went up to Rocky Mount last night to spend Sunday at home.

— Mrs. Dr. Culbreth left for Whiteville yesterday, having been summoned by a telegram to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Williamson, who is very sick.

— Mr. Burgess W. Marshall left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he will take a position in the office of the Secretary of the Interior. His many friends here wish for him a successful career in the Nation's Capital.

— Mr. Geo. N. Seal, of Delair, N. J., who has been here for the past several months gathering specimens for an aquarium in his native State, left last evening for his home with quite a valuable collection of fish and water herbs.

— Mr. T. Martin Ashe, of Raleigh, is in the city on a professional visit. Mr. Ashe is a member of the firm of Pearson & Ashe, the well known architects of the Capital City, who have drawn plans for quite a number of the notable public buildings in the State, one of which is the Carr Memorial building at the University.

Sacred Concert, June 1st.

Friday evening, June 1st, has been selected as the date for the sacred concert to be given for the benefit of Fifth Street M. E. Church, and a very elaborate programme is being prepared for the occasion. There will be no rehearsal on Tuesday night as usual, on account of the Second Regiment Band concert in the Opera House, but on Thursday evening Mr. Charles McMillen, the director, especially requests a full attendance for practice. Members of the orchestra are also urged to be in attendance at 8.15 o'clock promptly.

Desirable Hospital Appointment.

Dr. John C. Wessell, of this city who last week graduated at the University of Maryland, has received a very desirable appointment as resident physician at the Bay View Hospital, of Baltimore, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the South. Dr. Wessell received the appointment as an award of merit, and besides being a lucrative position it is a handsome compliment to his medical learning.

Grand balls and public addresses. Open air concerts all the time. Thousands will be in Charlotte, N. C., during the 20th of May Gala Week, May 22-23-24-25th. Take the Seaboard Air Line. 3t

Underwear and hosiery at Bargain prices at Polvogt's. †

All mattings laid free of cost by the Polvogt Co. this week. †

HEAVY SHIPMENTS.

Yesterday's Strawberry Consignments Eclipsed Any Former Day's This Season.

ABOUT ONE MILLION QUARTS

Forwarded to Northern Markets from Wilmington's Trucking Belt Yesterday—Convenient Schedule of Fruit Growers' Express.

Some idea of the magnitude of the strawberry culture in the section tributary to Wilmington may be gathered from the record of shipments of these palatables to the Northern markets on the various trains leading from Wilmington yesterday. A safe estimate based upon records received from their agents along the several lines of railway by the Fruit Growers' Express and the Southern Express Company make the figures in round numbers 25,000 crates, or approximately one million quarts, which if sold even so low as ten cents per quart net, would amount to $10,000.

On the Wilmington and Weldon railroad alone yesterday the Fruit Growers' Express handled 64 solid cars of 300 and more crates each. These were carried out on train No. 80, which carried 37 solid cars on a through schedule North, and on a "pick-up train" of 27 cars, which gathered shipments for solid cars at the several stations along the line. On the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta railroad thirteen cars were handled and on the A. & Y. division of the Coast Line three solid cars of 300 crates each were handled.

Yesterday being Saturday, the Southern Express Company did not receive as large shipments as on other days, but on the Wilmington and Weldon railroad approximately 300 crates were handled and more than as many on the Atlantic and Yadkin.

Both companies are giving excellent service this season and not a complaint from any source has been heard. The Southern Express people are running a special train for the W. & W. shippers and the Fruit Growers' Express have in operation the best schedule for years. The refrigerator service is said to be adequate in every particular and the schedule of trains is arranged to suit the convenience of truckers generally.

The through trains are operating on good schedule, and more than that, it is justly claimed that they are placing the berries on the market in good condition and early.

The through train, which is designated as "No. 80," leaves Wilmington daily over the Wilmington and Weldon railroad at 9.45 o'clock in the morning and takes only solid cars containing three hundred crates of berries and over, the same to be loaded and ready for shipment before time for departure of trains from the respective stations. The schedule upon which this train departs from the several stations is as follows: Wilmington, 9:45 A. M; Castle Haynes, 10:24 A. M; Rocky Point, 10:45 A. M; Ashton 11 A. M; Burgaw, 11:16 A. M; South Washington, 11:44 A. M; Willard, 11:58 A. M; Wallace, 12:08 P. M; Teachey's, 12:18 P. M; Rose Hill, 12:34 P. M; Magnolia, 12:54 P. M; Warsaw 1:00 P. M; Bowden, 1:33 P. M; Faison, 1:55 P. M; Mount Olive, 2:20 P. M; Dudley, 2:40 P. M; Goldsboro, 3:25 P. M.

The "pick up" train is designated as "No. 18" and will receive berries in refrigerator cars in any quantities at stations between Wilmington and Magnolia inclusive. The schedule of departure for this train is: leave Wilmington, Castle Haynes and Rocky Point at 10:30; 11:05 and 11:50, respectively, each morning and leave other stations in the afternoon as follows: Ashton, 12:10; South Washington, 1:25; Willard, 1:40; Wallace, 2:00; Teachey's, 2:20; Rose Hill, 2:40; Magnolia, 3:15; Carlton, 3:30.

Train No. 20 "picks up" broken shipments between Warsaw and Goldsboro and leaves Warsaw at 11.30 o'clock each morning, arriving at Goldsboro at 6 P. M.

Train No. 2 is the last of those regularly announced and this one is designed for berries in cars other than those with the refrigerating system.

The schedule is proving very efficient, and while none of the trains are guaranteed, they have thus far made excellent time and, as stated above, they have been prompt in reaching the Northern markets, which is most important of all.

The shipments yesterday were not as large as are expected on some one of the single days this week. Mr. C. W. Woodward, the enterprising manager of the Fruit Growers' Express here, said last night that he had just received ninety refrigerator cars for use to day and it is quite sure that if the weather continues favorable, more than that number will be required for Monday and Tuesday's consignments.

Will Speak in Wadesboro.

The Wadesboro *Messenger and Intelligencer* of this week announces that Col. A. M. Waddell, of this city, will speak in that town on Saturday, 19th inst. The people of the county are making great preparations to receive him.

North Carolina's naval hero, Lieut. Anderson, who cut the cable at Santiago, has accepted an invitation to be present during the 20th of May Gala Week at Charlotte, N. C., May 22-23-24-25th. He will go to Charlotte by the Seaboard Air Line. 3t

Towels and table linen are among the Bargains at the Polvogt Co. this week. †

BASE BALL MATTERS.

W. L. I. and O. A. N Teams Will Line Up for a Game at Hilton Park Next Thursday Afternoon.

The base ball season in Wilmington will be formally opened on Thursday afternoon with a game at Hilton Park between the aggregations of ball tossers known as the Wilmington Light Infantry and O. A. N. teams. As the game falls on Memorial Day the projectors of the match are confident of a large attendance and they in turn promise some good, fast ball playing of the kind that is sure to please spectators.

Both nines have had some good practice and there is no reason why the promise should be discredited. Cars will be run to Hilton for the benefit of those who may wish to witness the game.

The line-up has been decided upon as follows:

W. L. I.	Position.	O. A. N
Morton	c.	Gwaltney
Pinner	p.	Wood, H.
Battle	1st b.	Sinclair
Jones	2nd b.	McLaurin
Genaust	s. s.	Moore
Brunson	3rd b.	Wiggs
Turrentine	l. f.	Dock
Davis, Geo	c. f.	Burch
Hatch	r. f.	Saunders

Those who are interested in the further prospects of the season will be glad to learn in this connection that the Wilmington Athletic Association is quietly at work signing up a team of first class players of State reputation and a little later in the season the managers of the association hope to arrange a schedule of games with visiting teams that will surpass all former efforts in this line in the history of the city.

SECOND REGIMENT BAND CONCERT.

Delightful Musical Event Arranged for Tuesday Night—Programme Later.

The music lovers of the city are looking eagerly forward to the Second Regiment Band concert at the Opera House Tuesday night, which is destined, so it is predicted, to mark the musical event of the season. At any rate it is certain to be a delightful affair and one which will not only display the splendid talent of the band but the talent of a number of Wilmington's finest vocalists who have kindly consented to take part in the evening's entertainment. The programme, which will be published later, will be a superb one, embracing many masterpieces of noted composers.

It is fair to predict a large audience for the concert, for the Second Regiment Band is not only a most deserving organization, but one Wilmington should feel proud of and always stand ready and willing to aid.

The admission, which will include a reserved seat, will be fifty cents, and tickets will be on sale at Munds' Temple Pharmacy to-morrow morning.

"OLD MAIDS' CONVENTION."

Will Be Held at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday Night for Worthy Benefit.

Wednesday night has been the date appointed for the "Old Maid's Convention," the popular burlesque which has been going the rounds of the South this season and which is to be given here for the benefit of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. It will take place in the auditorium of the Young Men's Christian Association and will be followed by a delightful strawberry festival.

The "Convention" is nothing more nor less than a rich extravaganza, in which thirty or more of Wilmington's charming young ladies will take part, and all desirous of a good hearty laugh are advised to attend. Besides the play there will be a delightful programme of music and the festival referred to. The admission will be 25 cents.

The director of the entertainment has called a rehearsal for to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian Association and wishes the entire cast present.

Runaway Yesterday Afternoon.

Capt. James Knight, master of transportation of the Atlantic Coast Line, narrowly escaped being seriously injured yesterday afternoon, about 2.30 o'clock, by being struck by a runaway horse attached to a cart, which had been driven to the city by an East Wilmington trucker. Capt. Knight was passing in front of the general offices of the A. C. L. on Front street, when he was struck by the runaway and knocked to the ground. Fortunately as well as miraculously, he escaped with minor injuries and was not incapacitated by the accident.

The runaway horse ran the cart into another horse, attached to President Warren G. Elliott's carriage, which was standing in front of the offices, and Mr. Elliott's horse was injured to some extent about the legs.

Congregational Meeting.

As was announced in yesterday's STAR, there will be a congregational meeting at the First Presbyterian Church this morning after the usual hour for service, at which meeting the matter of calling a pastor will be disposed of. Every member of the congregation is urged to be in attendance.

The Gala Week at Charlotte, N. C., May 22-23-24-25th, will be a Spring spectacle of splendor. Take the Seaboard Air Line. 3t

Bargain week at Polvogt's. Read their advertisement for partial list. †

Spend your cash at Polvogt's this week, it is their Bargain week. Read advertisement. †

COUNTY ELECTION BOARD

Organized by Selecting Mr. C. W. Worth as Chairman and Mr. John Haar Secretary—Other Matters.

Members of the New Hanover county election board, which STAR readers will remember are now Messrs. C. W. Worth, John Haar and Sol J. Jones, yesterday received their certificates of appointment from Capt. Jas. D. McNeill, secretary, and Walter H. Neal, Esq., chairman, of the State board.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a meeting of the county board was held at the office of Mr. C. W. Worth and an organization effected by electing Mr. Worth chairman and Mr. Haar secretary.

The session was held in conformity to the law governing county boards, which stipulates that meetings for organization must be held on or before the first Monday in May. The next meeting will be held in June.

It was decided to allow the various voting precincts to remain as they are for the present, but it is an established fact that later a division will be made in Harnett township, which division is made necessary from the largely increased population incident to the establishment of the Delgado Cotton Mills there.

GENTLEMEN'S HANDICAP TOURNAMENT

Played Yesterday Afternoon by Members of Cape Fear Golf Club.

The gentlemen's handicap tournament, under the auspices of the Cape Fear Golf Club, was played yesterday afternoon on the Hilton links in the presence of quite a goodly number of spectators.

The cup, as a prize for the best handicap score, was won by Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneir, and that for the lowest gross score by Mr. T. H. Symington.

At the ladies' handicap tournament Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. T. H. Symington won the cup for the lowest gross score.

The prizes were presented yesterday afternoon by Mr. John J. Blair, president of the club, during the progress of an elegant tea given by one of the lady members complimentary to the players after the tournament in the handsome new club house recently built near the links.

Some of the most notable scores made at the tournament yesterday afternoon were as follows:

Mr. A. S. Williams, gross 142, handicap 12, net score 118.

Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneir, gross 119, handicap 5, gross 109.

Mr. T. H. Symington, no handicap and net score 118.

Mr. J. J. Blair, no handicap and net score 114.

Maj. E. W. VanC. Lucas, gross 142, handicap 10, net score 123.

Mr. Hugh MacRae, gross 132, handicap 6, net score 120.

Rev. Robert Strange, gross 132, handicap 10, net score 112.

Funeral of Mrs. Richards.

Rev. Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell conducted the funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. E. V. Richards from the residence No. 115 South Ninth street yesterday morning at 9 o'clock.

The remains were taken from the home to the steamer *Wilmington* and carried to Southport where the interment took place immediately upon the arrival of the boat. The pall bearers were: Honorary, Messrs Jos. H. Hanby and Wm. Neistle; active, Messrs. A. J. Howell, Jr., W. L. DeRosset Jr. H. H. DeCover, J. D. Nutt, J. Schmit, W. W. MacRae and W. A. McGowan.

Schubert Hall Recital.

The pupils of Miss Cannie Chasten's piano classes yesterday afternoon delightfully rendered the following programme at the usual weekly recital at Schubert Hall:

"Nocturne, Op. 9, No. 2," (Chopin,) by Miss Isabel Yopp.

"Evening Chimes," (Heins,) by Miss Ola Mitchell.

"Romanza," (Spindler,) by Miss Irene Peterson.

"Tarantelle," (Dennee,) by Miss Alice Craft.

Piano Recital.

The following programme was well rendered yesterday afternoon by pupils of Miss Hamme's classes at the regular Saturday afternoon recital at the Studio No. 109 North Third street:

"Schumann" (Joyous Farmer) by Miss Julia Worth.

"Lichner" (Allegretto) by Miss Annie Worth.

"Schumann" (Wild Rider) by Miss Louise Poisson.

"Beethoven" (Sonatina) by Miss Anna Worten.

"Beethoven" (Allegretto) by Miss Olive Quinn.

To Carolina Beach.

Indications are that another large crowd of people from the city will avail themselves of the popular trip to Carolina Beach this afternoon on the steamer *Wilmington*, which leaves her wharf, foot of Market street at 2 o'clock, returning at 7 P. M. The fare for the round trip will be twenty-five cents as usual.

— George Rountree, Esq., and Mrs. Rountree returned yesterday from Chapel Hill.

Greatly reduced rates by the Seaboard Air Line to Charlotte, N. C., during the 20th of May Gala Week, May 22-23-24-25th. 3t

President McKinley has been invited to be present during the 20th of May Gala Week at Charlotte, May 22-23-24-25th. Greatly reduced rates by the Seaboard Air Line. 3t

GREAT COUNCIL OF ORDER OF RED MEN

Will Convene in Wilmington Next Thursday and Friday—Preparations for Royal Reception Planned.

Members of Eyota and Cheroke tribes of Improved Order of Red Men are making elaborate preparations for the meeting of the Great Council of the Reservation of North Carolina in this city on next Thursday and Friday, 10th and 11th insts.

The Great Council will convene on Thursday morning and there will be a public installation of Great Chiefs on the night of the same day. After the installation there will be a reception to which the public will be invited. There will be music by a vocal quartette under the leadership of Mr. J. W. Fleet and instrumental selections by the Italian Band. Refreshments will be served and a thoroughly enjoyable occasion is anticipated.

On Friday the entertainment of the Council will consist of an excursion on the steamer *Wilmington* and an oyster roast at Carolina Beach. On Friday evening a joint team from the two local lodges, under the leadership of Mr. James H. Cowan, will confer the adoption degree and "burn at the stake" six palefaces, who were captured in the "hunting grounds" during the past week. The team has been under the instruction of Mr. Cowan for the past six weeks and is prepared to confer the adoption in great shape.

Features of the meeting will be the re-election of officers of the Great Council for the ensuing year and the election of a Grand Representative to the National Council, which meets at Milwaukee later.

Yesterday the local entertainment committees received a supply of lapel buttons bearing an emblem of the order and advertising the big event. These will be distributed throughout the State and among the "chiefs" in Wilmington.

Mr. E. P. H. Strunck has tendered to the members of the Great Council the courtesies of the Hanover Seaside club house while at Carolina Beach and a royal time is expected

The committees of arrangement are Messrs. James H. Cowan, W. V. Hardin and E. H. Freeman from Eyota Tribe, No. 5, and Messrs W. H. Lane, J. C. Walton and Joe Lane from Cherokee Tribe No. 9.

A Young Wilmingtonian.

Among the young gentlemen who graduated at the University of Maryland School of Medicine last week was a young Wilmingtonian, Mr. Thos. M. Green, who carried off one of the highest honors—the "surgical prize." The degrees were conferred and prizes awarded at the annual commencement held at the Lyceum Theatre, Baltimore. "A large audience, composed principally of ladies, filled the theatre from orchestra to gallery, and applauded the young doctors until their hands were sore," says the Baltimore *Sun*.

County School Closings.

Many of the county public schools closed during the past week and the week before. To-morrow evening from 8 to 10 o'clock appropriate exercises will mark the close of the Scott's Hill school, of which Miss Annie B. Thorne, of Littleton, N C., is principal. There will be awards for several distinctions, and Capt. Manning, the energetic and thoroughly efficient county superintendent, will be present with the pupils and patrons of the school upon this occasion.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The boys' meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this morning at 9.30 o'clock, will be conducted by Mr. A. D. French, of Montclair, New Jersey. He will give an illustrated lecture on "Nails."

The afternoon service for young men will be conducted at 5 o'clock as usual. Rev. J. N. Cole, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, will be the special speaker and his subject will be "Unanswered Yet." A musical programme of twenty minutes will be observed just before the regular service.

Paradise Alley Denizens.

Under orders of Chief Parmele, Policemen Smith and Woolard last night arrested five of the disreputable colored women who made things hideous about the alley leading from Front street near the Bee Hive Racket store. They were locked up at the station house for trial before Mayor pro tem. Springer to-morrow morning.

Excavating for Armory.

Members of the Baptist Boys' Brigade have set to work for the construction of an armory for the use of their company and are themselves doing the work of excavating. The armory will be under the lecture room of the church and when the excavations are complete the floor will be laid and the place otherwise fitted up comfortably and substantially.

Stockholders Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company will be held in this city Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. It is probable that at this meeting action will be taken similar to that of meetings recently held further north regarding the Greater Seaboard system consolidation.

Come early to see the Bargain at Polvogt's during this week. †

Let it be a busy week for you by visiting the Polvogt Co.'s store. †

FISHBLATE CLOTHING COMPANY.

Special prices for this week Only.

J. A. Scrivens' Patent Elastic Drawers, 55 cents.
Silk Bosom Shirts, 50 cents.
50 cent Neckwear for 25 cents.
Silk Embroidered Polka Dot Half Hose, 20 cents, worth 35.
Base Ball and Bat free with every Boy's Suit.

The most complete stock of Clothing in the State.

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my 6 tf

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These warm days, come in and we will give them relief.
A chance is all we ask.

Geo. R. French & Sons.
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DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE

Will Meet Thursday to Appoint a Central Committee—R. R. Tax Case.

[*Special Star Telegram.*

RALEIGH, N. C., May 5.—Chairman Simmons calls a meeting of the Democratic State Committee for next Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Senate Chamber. The purpose of the meeting is to appoint a central committee and transact other business.

Wake county Democrats will hold their nominating convention on June 9th.

The corporation commissioners say they have received no official intimation from the railroads that they intend to stop the tax suit, but there are nevertheless many indications that this will be done.

Do you want 2,000 or 3,000 old newspapers at your own price? If so, call at the STAR office. They make a cheap wrapping paper. †

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Horse, Drays and Harness at Auction.

On to-morrow (Monday) morning at 10 o'clock there will be sold in front of store No. 9 South Water street, one number one Horse, two Drays in good order, one set Dray Harness.
May 6th, 1900. my 6 1t

OPERA HOUSE.

Tuesday, May 8th, Second Regiment Band Concert, assisted by Wilmington's leading vocalist. Price 50 cents. No extra charge for reserve seats.
Seats on sale to-morrow morning at Munds' Temple Pharmacy. my 6 3t

We Have This Day

Formed a Copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the Tin and Sheet Metal Working business, under the firm name of Owen F. Love & Co., at No. 6 Princess street, just below the Atlantic National Bank, with every facility for prompt and efficient work. We solicit the patronage of the public.
Respectfully,
OWEN F. LOVE.
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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	6	8:39 a. m.	Third Quarter	21	3:31 p. m.
Full Moon	14	10:36 a. m.	New Moon	28	9:50 a. m.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 6, 1900.

For White Supremacy.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

Lieutenant-Governor:
WILFRED D. TURNER, of Iredell.

Secretary of State:
J. BRYAN GRIMES, of Pitt.

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FRANKLIN M'NEILL, of New Hanover.
SAMUEL L. ROGERS of Macon.

Superintendent Public Instruction:
THOMAS F. TOON, of Robeson.

Commissioner of Agriculture:
SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell.

For Judge of the Tenth District:
W. B. COUNCILL, of Watauga.

DISFRANCHISING THE NEGROES

The Republican leaders in this State who are declaiming so loudly and so lugubriously against the disfranchisement of the negro discredit themselves by denouncing the very thing their party has been doing ever since the negro was enfranchised, and what it is doing to-day. The fundamental idea upon which the privilege of the franchise is based is that by it the voter may have a voice in directing public affairs, in being represented in the legislative bodies by people who will guard and protect his interests, and therefore any distinction which gives one class or part of the people advantage over another in the exercise of the ballot, to that extent deprives the ballot of its value and makes it useless in the hands of the voter. This is precisely what the white Republican leaders in this State have been doing ever since the negro was enfranchised, what they are doing to-day and what they propose to do in the future, not boldly and manfully as the Democrats propose to do, but sneakingly and meanly while professing to be the special friends, champions and defenders of the negro.

There always have been in the Republican party three black voters to one white. Without them there would not be Republican party enough to make a visible shadow, but who ever heard of a negro being nominated, with the consent or co-operation of white Republicans, to any office of trust or emolument sufficient to attract the attention of the white Republicans?

For thirty-odd years the negroes have been voting with the Republican party and for white Republicans, but has there ever been a negro nominated for a State office, although their votes have elected every Republican State officer who has been elected?

A few of them have been elected to Congress, but it was from districts where the black voters were so numerous that the white bosses could not control them and they took matters into their own hands and nominated one of their own race as *their* representative.

A few of them have also been elected to the Legislature, but this was from counties where the negroes could not be controlled by the white bosses.

They have held offices in some of the counties, but it was invariably where they were numerous enough to have things their own way, but in the State at large they have never met with any consideration when it came to dividing the honors and emoluments.

Why? The Republicans will not dare to assert that it was because there were no negroes intelligent enough to hold a State office. If they did they would discredit themselves, for they have insisted that there are intelligent and competent negroes, negroes intelligent enough to sit in the party councils with them to frame plans for the direction and government of the party, to sit in their county, district and State conventions, and help make the platforms on which their party stood and waged its battles.

Why then this discrimination?

One of three things is the answer; either race prejudice, or the negro is unfit to hold office of trust or emolument, or the white men in the party want that kind of offices for themselves. If the first, then they should cease carping at the Democrats for being actuated by race prejudice; if the second, then they should cease finding fault with the Democrats for insisting that the negroes are unfit to rule, and if the third, they should shut their mouths and cease drawing attention to their grasping selfishness.

Isn't the denial of the right to hold office—denial by custom and by practice, if not by law—virtual disfranchisement as destructive of the intent and purpose of the ballot as if the negroes were actually deprived of the privilege of casting a ballot?

When in 1867 the act enfranchising the emancipated slaves was passed, it was justified on the ground that the ballot was necessary for the protection of the negro, that there was a prejudice throughout the South against the negro, and if he had not the ballot to protect him, he would be at the mercy of the white man and have no voice or representation in the making of the laws by which he would be governed. This, we say, was the justification of the arbitrary and unconstitutional legislation that made the negroes of the South voters; and the only justification that could be offered, if they were honest in it—but they were not, for the men who passed that act didn't think any more of the negro, or take any more interest in him, than do the white politicians of this State who are now running the negro and pretending to be his friends and champions. The framers of that act wanted to build up the Republican party in the South and they made the negro a voter to do it. When they failed to accomplish with the negro votes what they hoped to accomplish they turned the negro loose to shift for himself, just as the white bosses in this State would now do, and jump at the opportunity to do, if they could command votes enough to win the offices without negro votes. Then they would be willing and glad to see him disfranchised by law as they have been virtually disfranchising him in practice.

TALK VS. ACTION.

Nearly all the Republican State platforms adopted this year have something to say about trusts, and it is substantially the same in all of them, because the platforms are drafted in Washington and are dictated by Hanna and men of his stripe who are too closely connected with the trusts to desire to do anything to restrain or cripple them. The Ohio platform, enunciated by the convention run by Mark Hanna, has this plank:

"We insist that injurious combinations shall be forbidden and so-called trusts shall be so regulated from time to time and be so restricted as to guarantee immunity from hurtful monopoly and assure fair treatment and protection to all competing industries."

Ohio being McKinley's and Hanna's State, the presumption is that this plank foreshadows what the national platform will say on that subject, which will be practically nothing, for this plank is simply words that mean nothing in effect.

The North Carolina Republican platform contains substantially the same plank, the only difference being a little change in the phraseology.

But the sincerity of these platform makers is to be tested not by what they say but by what they do after they have had the opportunity to do something. The Republicans have a majority in both Houses of Congress, and the President. They could do something to remedy the trust evil if they would. The press of the country, Republican as well as Democratic, has been demanding that something be done to restrict the operations of some of the most oppressive of the trusts. Has a single movement been made in that direction? Not one. But every movement made by Democrats in response to the appeals of the press has been squelched by the majority in Congress, who would not dare to tackle the trusts, whose money Mark Hanna will have use for in the next campaign and election.

And yet these fellows have the monumental gall to put planks in their platforms pledging themselves to do something to remedy the trust evil. Do they take the American people for a nation of mental imbeciles who can be deceived by such rot?

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle 10c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store; every bottle guaranteed. †

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SPECULATING ON THE PROGRAMME.

The opinion seems to prevail with some who have watched the manipulations of the Re-Poplican machine managers that the State tickets put up by them were not put up to stay but to be doctored later on, the result of which will be a sort of sandwich ticket made of alternate Republican and Populist slices. The following from a Washington special to the Raleigh *Post* shows what the North Carolina Democratic Representatives in Washington think the programme will be:

"Among Democrats it is considered that the most significant nomination made by the Republican convention is that of N. C. English for Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. English was nominated by Mr. Butler's convention for the same position. Mr. English is looked upon as the link that joins the Republican ticket with the Populist ticket. While joined together now by only one thread—Mr. English—it is recognized that even so slim a hold can the more easily be strengthened by other threads between the two alleged discordant parties. Taking Mr. English as the starting point, each side is now in a position to trade and can now put up a hyphenated ticket, by first dropping out one man on one ticket and then another, like knocking out every other rung in a ladder and thus complete the ticket.

"This is what is expected here will be done, either openly or tacitly, before the voting occurs.

"Judge Linney, when asked about this phase of the situation, said the Republicans would be justified in making such an alliance. It was a struggle for political liberty and any honorable means would be justified."

As both of these parties are machine-run and their people have very little to say about what the leaders may do or not do, they could very easily work a game like this if they can agree on the division of the spoils. In the event they fail in this, the probabilities are that they will fuse on the legislative tickets with the hope of capturing the Legislature, in which Pritchard and Butler are much more interested than they are in the State tickets.

PRITCHARD TO THE NEGROES.

When Senator Pritchard spoke against the constitutional amendment at Rockingham four-fifths of his audience were negroes and most of the other fifth federal office holders who gathered there from the surrounding counties. He always devotes much of his time to discussing the unconstitutionality of the amendment. In this speech he thus declared himself on the so-called "grandfather" section:

"The amendment is unconstitutional because it makes a discrimination against the negro: It lets the ignorant white man vote but denies a vote of the ignorant negro. That is repugnant to the fifteenth amendment and cannot stand."

Senator Pritchard seems to talk on the assumption that the people he talks to do not read the papers, and therefore he talks one way in one section when talking to negroes, and another way in another section when talking to white men. In the center, and in the West where there are fewer negroes than there are in the center or in the East, he opposes the amendment because, he says, it will disfranchise (which is not true) the illiterate white man and let the negro who can read and write vote. That's the way he hopes to influence voters in the West against the amendment; but at Rockingham, where he was talking to negroes, he opposes the amendment because it lets the ignorant white man vote and denies a vote to the ignorant negro. That is the kind of an unprincipled and unscrupulous demagogue Pritchard is, and that's the way he plays fast and loose with the white man and the negro in accordance with their voting strength. But there are newspapers in this country which print what Pritchard says and both white men and negroes are catching on to his double-faced methods. When Pritchard and Butler are yoked together, there is a team of first-class political frauds.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The Steamship Subsidy bill has been wisely postponed in Congress in spite of the clamors of its prospective beneficiaries. The indications are that by next winter the price of coal - an essential raw material of shipbuilders—will rise so high in Europe as to take away the last protest of the subsidy mongers that ships cannot be constructed as cheaply in this country as elsewhere.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— What a lot of favors the Irish have received at the hands of the British since the beginning of the war in South Africa! Paddy in the army may now wear the shamrock on St. Patrick's day, and Paddy at home or elsewhere may wear the bare-leg costume of the Scotch Highlander, if he wants to, while the picture of St. Patrick has been placed on the prayer book of the Established Church. Paddy ought to feel very grateful; but the probabilities are that he would much prefer to have a parliament in Dublin. —*Savannah News, Dem.*

—— The large majority of 225 to 35 given to the Nicaraguan Canal bill in the House of Representatives yesterday shows the strength of the sentiment behind that great undertaking. The Senate may delay the actual passage of a canal act for some time yet, but recent events have increased the demand for an interoceanic canal so very greatly in and out of Congress that it is now almost irresistable. We have nearly passed the talking stage, but not quite. The pending treaty and an obstructive minority in the Senate will hold back the long pending proposition only a little while longer.—*Philadelphia Press, Rep.*

Achilles was invulnerable in every part of the body save his heel. The myth runs that he was rendered invulnerable by being dipped in the river Styx in infancy, the heel by which he was held being the only part not submerged and therefore retaining its mortal weakness.

Everyone has some weak spot in his physical organism, and that weak spot is the invariable attacking point of disease. No man is stronger than that weakest spot in him. We see great robust looking men go down like ninepins, at a touch of disease, and wonder at it. It is simply the wound in the weak spot, the vulnerable heel of Achilles.

It is the office of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to build up the weak places, to strengthen the weak organs of the body. It does this on Nature's own plan of nourishment. Proper food properly assimilated makes a weak man strong. But the man is only an aggregation of parts, so that the strong man means strength of all parts, heart, lungs, liver, nerves, etc. "Golden Medical Discovery" puts into Nature's hands the material by which the stomach is strengthened, the blood purified, the nerves nourished, the lungs vitalized. It makes the weak strong and the sick well. It contains no alcohol or other intoxicant.

Mr. R. J. McKnight, of Cades, Williamsburg Co., S. C., writes: "I had been troubled with rheumatism for twelve years, so bad at times I could not leave my bed. I was badly crippled. Tried many doctors and two of them gave me up to die. None of them did me much good. The pains in my back, hips and legs (and at times in my head), would nearly kill me. My appetite was very bad. I took five bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and four vials of 'Pellets,' and to-day my health is good."

DIRGE FOR A SOLDIER.

GEORGE BOKER.

Close his eyes; his work is done!
What to him is friend or foeman,
Rise of moon, or set of sun,
Hand of man, or kiss of woman?
Lay him low, lay him low,
In the clover or the snow!
What cares he? he cannot know;
Lay him low!

As man may, he fought his fight,
Proved his truth by his endeavor;
Let him sleep in solemn night,
Sleep forever and forever.
Lay him low, lay him low,
In the clover or the snow!
What cares he? he cannot know;
Lay him low!

Fold him in his country's stars,
Roll the drum and fire the volley!
What to him are all our wars,
What but death-bemocking folly?
Lay him low, lay him low,
In the clover or the snow!
What cares he? he cannot know;
Lay him low!

Leave him to God's watching eye,
Trust him to the hand that made him.
Mortal love weeps idly by;
God alone has power to aid him,
Lay him low, lay him low,
In the clover or the snow!
What cares he? he cannot know;
Lay him low.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— It is worse to apprehend than to suffer.—*Bruyere.*

— It is the wise head that makes the still tongue.—*W. J. Lucas.*

— True blessedness consisteth in a good life and a happy death.—*Solon.*

— Men often make up in wrath what the want in reason.—*Alger.*

— Benevolent feeling ennobles the most trifling actions.—*Thackeray.*

— Have something to say; say it, and stop when done.—*Tyron Edwards.*

— Great trials seem to be necessary preparation for great duties.—*E. Thompson.*

— Be calm in arguing, for fierceness makes error a fault, and truth discourtesy.—*Herbert.*

— A fine person or a beauteous face are in vain without the grace of deportment.—*Churchill.*

— We reap what we sow; but Nature has love over and above that justice, and gives us blossoms and fruit that spring from no planting of ours. —*George Eliot.*

— No true man can live a half life when he has genuinely learned that it is only a half life. The other half—the higher half—must haunt him.—*Phillips Brooks.*

— Bring God down into your heart. Embalm your soul in him now, make within you a temple for the Holy Spirit; be diligent in good works, make others happier and better.—*Amiel's Journal.*

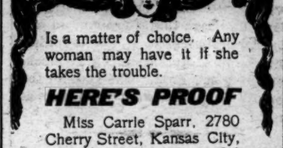
— You are to go the road which you see to be the straight one, carrying whatever you find is given you to carry, as well and as stoutly as you can, without making faces or calling people to come and look at you.—*Ruskin.*

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S, Drug Store. †

— Effect of Habit: "That umpire doesn't know how to judge a ball. Look at that one! It went six feet wide of the base, and he called him out on a strike." "He makes a slip of that kind once in a while. He used to be a walking delegate."—*Chicago Tribune.*

GLORIOUS HAIR



Is a matter of choice. Any woman may have it if she takes the trouble.

HERE'S PROOF

Miss Carrie Sparr, 2780 Cherry Street, Kansas City, Mo., writes: "Six weeks ago I began using the Seven Sutherland Sisters' Scalp Cleaner and Hair Grower. My hair was very thin, having fallen out from scarlet fever. Thick, glossy hair is now coming in, and I am positive the remedies have greatly helped me. I advise everyone to use them."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The death of Mr. Louis Gaylor occurred last night at his home out beyond Greenleaf. He was about 60 years of age.

— Mount Olive *Advertiser*: Strawberry shipments this past week have been much lighter than was expected at this stage of the season, a condition resulting from cool weather and a shortage in the crop.

— Danbury *Reporter*: The wheat crop in this section is the finest for years.—— Nurseymen Young says that the prospect over the country is the best that he has ever known for fruit.—— Farmers are behind with their work, but they are putting in full time this fine weather. Probably not more than half of the corn crop has been planted.

— Charlotte *Observer*: With suicidal intent, Mr. Samuel H. Hawkins, Jr., of this city, shot himself Friday morning. At 3 o'clock this morning he was still alive, but his physicians state that his recovery is impossible and that he can live only a few hours. The cause of the suicide is a matter of conjecture.

— Salisbury *Truth-Index*: Perhaps the first cotton factory organized by the farmers of any State in the Union has just been launched by the farmers of the China Grove vicinity. And the names of the gentlemen who are connected with the enterprise (wid-awake and well-to-do farmers that they are) is a guarantee of the success of the movement.

— Rockingham *Anglo-Saxon:* Mr. J. Albert Smith died at his home in Wolf Pit township Sunday afternoon, of consumption, with which he had suffered for a number of years. He was about 50 years of age. —— The Republicans organized in Scotland County last Saturday. It seems that the negroes in the new county are not so easily side tracked. They elected J. N. McLochlin, a negro school teacher, County Chairman, defeating two white candidates for the position.

— Newbern *Journal:* The thunder storm of Thursday evening was a severe one in this section, there being a heavy fall of hail in several places, but the lightening was very destructive, causing two deaths. At Bairds Creek, the house of George Conner was struck, and his child was killed, and his wife knocked senseless. The house of D. Mann, near Newport was also struck. Mrs. Mann, who was standing in the doorway was killed, while Mr. Mann was rendered senseless. During the storm the rainfall was nearly an inch and a half

TWINKLINGS.

— Hoax—"This joke about the horseless carriage is getting to be a chestnut." Joax—"So it is—sort of a horseless chestnut, isn't it?"

— Quinn—"They say that Kruger keeps his prisoners on a Pretoria race-track." De Fonte—"Well, they are not the first that have been on a race track to their sorrow."

— "Elsie!" mamma called from the foot of the stairs, "what dress are you putting on?" "Why," replied the little girl in the bedroom above, "this one."

— Guest—"What! Five dollars a day! You only charged me three when I was here two months ago." Hotel Clerk—"I know, but the days are longer now."

— "We're going to give a matinee performance of one of Wagner's operas for charity." "Where are you going to get your orchestra?" "We won't need any. The hall is next door to a boiler shop."

— "Hello, old Slow Coach!" cried the facetious crab. "Oh, I don't know," retorted the tortoise; "you're no scorcher yourself." "Think I'm as slow as you are, eh?" "Well, you're certainly backward in coming forward."

— Editor—"Who is that little puffy man that has been hanging around the composing room all morning?" Proof reader—"That is Blowhm. He made a speech at the supper last night, and he wants to make sure that his initials go in right."

— "I found Tommy out in the woodshed smoking one of my cigars. I intend to punish him." "Where did he get the cigar, George?" "It was one of the three I bought at the depot." "Then he has been punished enough."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass, 7 A. M.; high mass, 10.30 A. M.; vespers, 7.45 P. M.

St. James' Church, third Sunday after Easter: 11 A. M., morning prayer, sermon and ante-communion; 6 P. M., evening prayer. Sunday school at 5 P. M. Public cordially invited.

Services in St. John's Church today, third Sunday after Easter, by the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael. Litany, sermon and holy communion, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 5.30 P. M. Sunday school, 4.30 P. M.

The services at the Seamen's Bethel to day will be conducted by Rev. John H. Hall, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, at 3 P. M. Seamen and friends cordially invited.

"The Carpenter," will be Dr. Blackwell's subject to-night at the First Baptist Church. It is the last of his series of occupation sermons, specially addressed to those who toil with their hands.

St. Paul's Church, Rev. M. A. Barber rector, Third Sunday after Easter. Morning prayer, sermon and holy communion 11 A. M; Evening prayer and sermon 8 P. M. Sunday school 4 P. M. Public cordially invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, above Bladen, Rev. G. D. Bernheim pastor. Morning service only, at 11 o'clock; Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. All seats free, and every person cordially invited.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—6 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels rosin, 1 barrel tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—31 casks spirits turpentine, 56 barrels rosin, 21 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—2 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—3 bales cotton, 2 barrels spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin, 32 barrels tar.

Steamer E. A. Hawes—15 casks spirits turpentine, 113 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—1 bale cotton, 14 casks spirits turpentine, 59 barrels tar.

Total—Cotton, 12 bales; spirits turpentine, 71 casks; rosin, 95 barrels; tar, 227 barrels; crude turpentine, 26 barrels.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 11th, 1898.

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Yours, Amos J. Cummings, M. C.

Hon. W. G. Lienallen, a prominent politician of Moscow, Idaho, and a clerk

Hon. W. G. Lienallen.

in the United States Senate document room, speaks in the following terms of Pe-ru-na:

SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Pe-ru-na Drug M'f'g Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—I have used Pe-ru-na for catarrh of the stomach, and after the use of one bottle I felt very much relieved. I had suffered for months before I heard of Pe-ru-na and at the solicitation of a friend I was persuaded to use it and I feel very grateful. To those who are suffering with catarrh I respectfully recommend Pe-ru-na. Very respectfully yours, W. G. Lienallen.

J. R. Stuart, of Eastland, Texas, says: 'I have purchased one bottle of Pe-ru-na, and it was used by myself and wife as a spring medicine. I consider it the best dollar's worth I ever bought. My wife has used your remedies with gratifying results.

Miss Ella Bough, of Gettysburg, Pa., in a letter written from Washington, D. C., says: "I have used Pe-ru-na and have found it to be a valuable and satisfactory remedy Previous to using it I suffered intensely with catarrh. I have now taken one bottle of your valuable remedy and all symptoms have disappeared. I am strong and healthy and cannot recommend your remedies too highly to all afflicted mankind. Ella Bough.

Miss Ella Bough.

Address in care of Ida Bough, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C.

Register United States Treasury.

Hon. Judson W. Lyons, Register United States Treasury, says in speaking of Pe-ru-na: "I find Pe-ru-na to be an excellent remedy for the catarrhal affections of spring and summer, and those who suffer from depression from the heat of the summer will find no remedy equal to Pe-ru-na."

Mayor of Grand Rapids.

Hon. George G. Steketee, ex-Mayor of Grand Rapids, Mich., in a recent letter says:

Pe-ru-na Drug M'f'g Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—I desire to congratulate you on your well merited success with Pe-ru-na. It is highly spoken of by those who have used it as a remedy for catarrh and liver troubles. As a tonic and invigorator it is of high merit, and it pleases me always to speak well of it as it deserves praise.

Respectfully, George G. Steketee.

Pe-ru-na is an ideal spring remedy. It strengthens, quiets, it restores appetite, helps digestion, and builds up weak nerves. For free book address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, May 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.35 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.85 per barrel for hard $2.90 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 40¾@40c; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.15; crude turpentine steady at $1.35, 2.40@2.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	71
Rosin	95
Tar	227
Crude turpentine	26

Receipts same day last year—23 casks spirits turpentine, 392 bbls rosin, 57 bbls tar, 41 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 9¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6 13-16	cts ₱ lb
Good ordinary	8¾	" "
Low middling	8 13-16	" "
Middling	9¼	" "
Good middling	9⅝	" "

Same day last year middling quiet at 5⅞c.

Receipts—12 bales; same day last year, 5.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm: 53 to 53¼ cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85c; upland, 50@60c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 6.00 per M

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.

	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs	110	112
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	223	236
A. C. L. new preferred W. I.	100	104
A. C. L. of S. C.	345	357
A. C. L. new Common. W. I.	60	66
Wilmington & Weldon	333	349
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	144	...
N. C. R. R.	158	160
Wilmington Compress Co	...	10
Delgado Mills	110	112
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co	70	74
Carolina Insurance Co	110	...
Underwriters' Insurance Co	106	...
National Bank of Wilmington	110	...
Atlantic National Bank	200	...
Murchison National Bank	113½	...
Wil. Savings & Trust Co	200	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	110	113
Warren Manufacting Co., preferred	103	105
Abbeville Cotton Mills	...	110
Southern Cotton Mills	...	101
Piedmont Manufacturing Co	180	198
Pacolet Manufacturing Co	250	...
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co	130	135
Anderson Cotton Mills	127	132
Pelzer Manufacturing Co	185	200
Union Cotton Mills, preferred	103	106

BONDS.

U. S. 3's 1908—1918, con	109½	110
N. C. 4's	106½	107
N. C. 6's	134	137
City Wilm. con. 5's, gold, 1923	112	115
City Wilm. con. 5's, C&E	100	...
City Wilm. 5's 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	101	106
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	103	...
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	99	100
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 5's	85	...
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	110	120
A. C. L. 4's	100	...
N. H. County 5's, gold	103	103½
City of Wilmington 4's, 1921	102	105

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Money on call was easy at 2 per cent.; last loan 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills at 488¼ for demand and 484¾ for sixty days. Posted rates were 485¼ and 489½. Commercial bills 483¼@484¼. Silver certificates 60¼@60¾. Bar silver 60¼. Mexican dollars 47½. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds steady. U. S. refunding 2's 103¼; U.S. 2's, reg'd, 99¼; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109½; do. coupon, 109½; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 134; do. coupon, 134; U. S. old 4's, reg'd. 115; do. coupon, 115; U. S. 5's, reg'd. 112½; do. coupon, 112½; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 106; Southern R'y 5's 112¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 83½; Chesapeake & Ohio 29¾; Manhattan L 94; New York Central 133¾; Reading 18; do. 1st prefer'd 57¾; St. Paul 118½; do. preferred 172½; Southern Railway 13¾; do. pref'd 56¾; American Tobacco, 103; do. pref'd 130; People's Gas 104; Sugar 143¾; do. pref'd 112; T. C. & Iron 81¾; U. S. Leather 12½; do. preferred 70½; Western Union 81½.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Rosin was quiet; strained common to good $1 60. Spirits turpentine quiet at 50½@51c.

CHARLESTON, May 5.—Spirits turpentine was steady at 46½c; sales — casks. Rosin quiet; sales — barrels.

SAVANNAH, May 5.—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; sales 143 casks; receipts 145 casks; exports 3,180 casks. Rosin firm; sales 185 barrels; receipts 1,993 barrels; exports 8,956 barrels Quotations unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, May 5.—The cotton market opened steady with prices two to six points higher on better cables than looked for. Local bears, many of whom had gone home last night firmly convinced that further success would attend to day's efforts on the short side, were thrown into temporary confusion by the unexpected strength abroad. Throughout the first hour the opening figures held sway quite generally but later there were periods of irregularity, the perfect cotton raising weather over the entire belt getting in its influence. Trading was at no time active and at best the crowd was content to trim up outlying accounts for a quiet Sunday and as a precautionary measure pending next week's developments in the crop country. Private cables attributed Liverpool's firmness to a sudden demand for spot cotton from Manchester and continental spinners; additional sales having been made later Europe was a small buyer of August contracts in the local market; that New Orleans and other Southern interests sold the new crop position took comparatively little part in forenoon speculation. The crop news was more or less conflicting but bore evidence of improvement, following the good weather of the past week. Receipts were about in line with expectations. The market for futures closed quiet with prices net one to five points lower.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Cotton was quiet; middling uplands 9¼c.

Cotton futures market closed quiet: May 9.56, June 9.47, July 9.45, August 9.26, September 8.48, October 8.23, November 8.04, December 8.04, January 8.05, February 8.06; March 8.10.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 9¼c; middling gulf 10c; sales — bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 1,397 bales; stock 80,240 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 5,938; exports to the Continent 1,329 bales; stock 375,076 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 5,938; exports to the Continent 1,329 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,209,178 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,056,772 bales; exports to France 673,948 bales; exports to the Continent 2,435,193 bales.

May 5—Galveston, quiet at 9 7 16c, net receipts 1,125 bales; Norfolk, steady at 9⅜, net receipts 92 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9⅞, net receipts 2,141 bales; Boston, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 248 bales; Wilmington, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 12 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 10c, net receipts 868 bales; Savannah, quiet at 9 7-16, net receipts 84 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9½c, net receipts 1,659 bales; Mobile, nominal at 9 5-16c, net receipts 2 bales; Memphis, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 183 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 76 bales; Charleston, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 206 bales

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Flour was quiet and about steady; winter patents $3 65@3 85; Minnesota patents $3 65@3 90. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 80¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth 76¾c. Options, as a result of firm Paris and English cables, displayed fair steadiness to-day, helped by strong Northwest cash receipts and scarcity of local offerings. Closed steady at unchanged prices. No. 2 red May closed 73½c; July 73¼c; September 73¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 45½c f. o. b. Options were moderately active and steady all day on high offerings, higher cables and the steadiness in wheat. Closed steady and unchanged. Sales included: May closed 44¾c; July 45½c; September 45⅝c. Oats—Spot steady: No. 2 28c; options were dull all day; No. 2 white oats—May closed 29½c. Lard easy; Western steam $7 30; refined quiet. Pork dull; family $14 00. Butter steady; Western creamery 16@20c; State dairy 15@18½c. Cheese steady; fancy large white 10¾c; fancy large colored 10¾c; fancy small white 10@10¼c; fancy small colored 10¼@10½c. Eggs firm; Southern at mark 11@12½c. State and Pennsylvania 13½@14c at mark. Potatoes quiet; New York $1 25@1 62½; Florida $3 00@6 50; New Jersey sweets $2 50@3 25. Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 4⅛@6⅝c; Japan 4¾@4¾c. Petroleum steady; refined New York $5 05; Philadelphia and Baltimore $5 00; do in bulk $3 30. Cabbage steady; Florida, per crate, $1 50@2 75. Tallow dull; city 4⅜c; country 4⅛@5½c. Freights to Liverpool quiet—Cotton by steam 27d. Cotton seed oil quieter but firmly held. Closing quotations were: Prime crude, in barrels, 35c nominal; prime summer yellow 37½@38c prompt; off summer yellow 38c; butter grades nominal; prime winter yellow 40@43c; prime white 40@41c; prime meal $26 00. Coffee—Spot Rio barely steady; No 7 invoice 7¾c; mild quiet; Cordova 9¼@13½c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3 15 16c; centrifugal 96 test 4 7 16c; molasses sugar 3¼c; refined steady.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The wheat market to-day was steady, helped by cables and good bids, July closing a shade lower. July corn closed a shade reduced and July oats ¼ higher. At the close provisions were, ten to twelve points to 20 @ 22½c down.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Cash quotations: Flour dull. Winter patents $3 60@3 70; straights $2 95@3 40; clears $2 70@3 20; spring specials $3 70@3 90; patents $3 10@3 75; straights $2 60@3 10; bakers' $2 00@2 45. Wheat—No. 3 spring 60@65¼c; No. 2 red 70@71c. Corn—No. 2, 39¼@39½c. Oats—No. 2 23½@24c; No. 2 white 26½

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Loans and Discounts	$631,611.00	Capital	$ 25,000.00
Real Estate	3,000.00	Profits—less expenses and taxes paid	25,646.13
Furniture and Fixtures	100.00	Deposits	671,477.38
Burglar Proof Safety Deposit Boxes	100.00		
Cash on hand and due from city banks	57,076.51		
Due from other banks	10,105.40		
	$722,023.51		$722,023.51

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Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:43 A. M., Raleigh 3:36 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 7:30 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A. M., Hamlet 7:42 A. M., Sanford 9:22 A. M., Raleigh 11:13 A. M. Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 38—Leave Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M. Maxton 9:05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12:05 noon.

Train 402—Leaves Washington 5:00 . M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 5:45 . M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolnton 9:22 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Ruther Fordton 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:40 P. M. Arrives Shelby 5:53 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:10 P. M.

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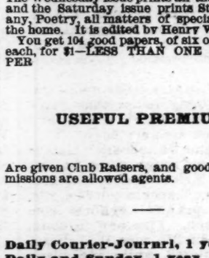

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"Whenever you hear a man employ the expression 'Tell that to the marines,' with an intonation that attempts to picture the sea soldier as the most gullible of human propositions, in uniform or out of it, you may safely conclude that that man doesn't know what he is talking about," said a warrant officer of the navy who served for many years as a master at arms. When I was a Jimmy Legs, as the bluejackets call a ship's master at arms, I came very close to losing the rating badge off my sleeve and the brass buttons off my blouse through the foolishness of a pair of marines on board my ship.

"One of the best sea soldiers I was ever shipmate with was an Irishman—call him Jim Corrigan—who had the corporal's chevrons when he joined the ship I was the Legs of. He came aboard at the Mare Island navy yard before we pulled up our mud hook for a cruise down the west coast of Mexico and Central and South America. He was a rattling good soldier, a clean, spick and span man who had in his ditty box a degree that he had taken at the University of Dublin. He had but one apparent fault—the one that doubtless worked him into a government straight uniform as a soldier of the sea—which was an abiding love for hot and rebellious liquors. He kept this rum passion down while on board ship, but whenever he 'hit the beach' he drank five glasses of liquor to the one glass tossed off by any of his companions, marines or soldiers.

"From a quiet, reserved man he changed into a fighting maniac when drunk. Corrigan didn't go ashore from the time he joined the ship until we pulled into the harbor of Acapulco. Then he went over the side, and within 20 minutes after he put his foot on the beach he was fighting drunk on mescal and knocking down Greasers in sets of fours. He didn't show up aboard for four days, breaking his liberty three days. He was still drunk and ugly when he reported himself to the officer of the deck. The officer of the deck said to him, 'Well, Corrigan, you've made a mess of it this time—three days overdue and still in your potations.' And Corrigan made for him.

"It means death in some of the world's navies even in time of peace for an enlisted man to raise his hand to an officer, but the punishment is a bit less severe in our outfit. Corrigan was beaten down and overcome after a terrific struggle. He was put in double irons in the brig, and general court martial charges were immediately preferred against him. He was to be shipped up to Mare Island, with an escort, on one of the up going Panama boats, for his general court martial, and the least he could expect was dishonorable discharge and three years at the smallest calculation at hard labor in the Mare Island naval prison. There wasn't to be a boat up bound for San Francisco for ten days or so, and we were booked to remain at Acapulco for a couple of weeks.

"Corrigan was quiet and incidentally pretty sore in more ways than one when he came out of his mescal trance. Inasmuch as the temperature of the brig was about 120 degrees and the steamer would not be along for ten days, he was given the liberty of the ship during the day and only confined in the brig after 'pipes down.' The top sergeant of the marine guard and myself were ordered to watch him closely to see that he didn't go over the side.

"Corrigan's only chum and confidant aboard was another marine, also an Irishman—call him Mike Gallagher—who, like Mulvaney, had often been 'rejooced' from the corporal's rate. He was then a private. Corrigan and Gallagher were noticed to have their heads together a good deal while the former was waiting for the steamer to come along and take him up to the navy yard for trial, but I didn't suspect anything.

"One afternoon Gallagher 'put in' for liberty. Liberty parties used to leave the ship in that port shortly before 8 o'clock in the evening. On the afternoon before Gallagher put his name down for liberty a young ensign had joined the ship, arriving on a south bound Panama boat. When the new ensign, who was the officer of the deck, started to call off the names of the men in the liberty party, among the first was that of Michael Gallagher. When Gallagher's name was called off, Jim Corrigan, spick and span in his best uniform, stepped forward, saluted, said 'Here, sir,' and walked down the ladder to the launch. The ensign didn't know his face from Gallagher's, having just joined the ship the day before. The 18 men in the liberty party knew, though, and the audacity of Corrigan's move stunned them. They understood it instantly, however, and it wasn't up to them to say anything.

"The liberty party was checked off on the book, and away went the cutter to the shore, Corrigan sitting in the stern sheets as cool as a cucumber. The other men in the cutter didn't say anything to him. Men-o'-war's men are not talkative under such circumstances. Corrigan stepped off the cutter, made straight for a place where he knew he could hire a horse, and within half an hour after he left the ship he was striking into the interior for the railroad. He had $300 in gold, the savings of a former enlistment, along with him. He has never been heard of since.

"When the liberty party left the ship, Gallagher was hiding under a tarpaulin on the to'gallant fo'c'sle. When darkness fell with tropical suddenness, he let himself down the anchor chains, swam ashore, and the next morning he returned with his liberty party, clean and sober. I had missed Corrigan when I hunted for him at 'pipe down' to put him in the brig for the night. I was responsible for him, but I never suspected how the trick had been turned until the day Gallagher was paid off, when he told me about it in a burst of rummy confidence. I never 'peached,' although the job came within an ace of getting me 'busted' to the rate of an ordinary seaman." — Washington Star.

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A Libel on the Girls.

When a young man takes a girl to a show, he is expected to provide the best seats, call with a hack, open and close the gates, help her with her cloak and act generally as though he were a lackey serving a princess, but when two girls go to a show together they buy seats in the balcony, meet on a corner and have a good, sensible time. Young men would go in society more if the girls did not work them so hard. Most of the girls, we regret to say, work the startled fawn business too hard.—Atchison Globe.

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DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. — No. 50—Passengor—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passengor—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.55 P. M., Chadbourn 5.38 P. M. Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M. Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passengor—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. — No. 49—Passengor—Leave Boston +1.00 P. M., New York +3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M. Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.22 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M. — No. 41—Passengor—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.35 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.48 P. M., Petersburg 7.21 P. M., +Norfolk 3.20 P. M., Weldon 8.58 P. M., +Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M. Leave Wilson 7.58 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.28 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passengor—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.05 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. — No 54—Passengor—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M. Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.35 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.06 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 P. M. — No. 52—Passengor—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

+Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 A. M. Maxton 9.30 A. M., Red Springs 9.53 A. M., Hope Mills 10.49 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.58 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leave Rocky Mount 7.00 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.00 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 A. M., arrive Richmond 11.00 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.05 P. M., Greenville 6.37 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.58 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.16 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 3.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 10.00 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 11.10 A. M., 4.08 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.15 A. M., 5.35 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Fee Dee 10.02 A. M., arrive Latta 10.36 A. M., Dillon 10.56 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 8.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M. Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 7.15 P. M., Manning 5.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.49 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 5.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.30 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.39 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.25 P. M., arrive Selma 2.48 P. M. 11.10 P. M., Smithfield 3.09 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.35 P. M., 12.15 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.45 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.50 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.54 P. M., arrive Wilson 3.35 P. M., 11.33 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.25 A. M., Creston 5.19 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.19 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 6.15 A. M. Returning, leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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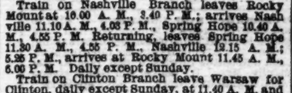

To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST.			GOING WEST.	
2 Pass'g'r Trains		STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains	
Arrive	Leave		Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro.....	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston.....	10 19	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern.....	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City.	7 22	7 27
P.M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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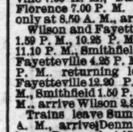

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A desirable farm of 272 acres, three miles east of Rose Hill. Fifty acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, balance well timbered. Four-room house on premises. In good neighborhood. Will exchange for desirable house and lot in Wilmington

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STATEMENT OF

Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the Close of Business April 26th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.	
Loans	$ 791,947.62
Overdrafts	173.76
U. S. Bonds at par	196,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from app'd res've ag'ts $ 65,562.60	
Due from other banks	147,690.21
Cash on hand	83,427.98—296,710.19
Total	$1,294,231.59
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	106,546.18
Circulation	45,600.00
Deposits U. S. Treas	$150,375.00
Deposits from Banks	145,414.59
Deposits from individuals	691,395.82
Certificates of Deposit	30,000.00—1,017,085.41
Total	$1,294,231.59

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	Apr. 26 '98.	Apr. 26, '99.	Apr. 26, 1900
Total deposits	$695,500	$790,300	$1,017,000
Surplus and net profits	78,700	92,700	106,500
U.S. bonds at par	40,100	93,600	196,100

Dividends Paid—6 Per Cent. Per Annum.

Last Instalment of Capital Paid in October, 1899. my 9 tf

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WILMINGTON, N. C.
SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 6, 1900.

CHOLERA AND FAMINE IN STRICKEN INDIA.

Pestilence and Misery—Relief Measures Totally Inadequate—Merely a Drop in the Ocean.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, May 6.—The report that cholera is strengthening its deadly hold on famine stricken India brings the pitiful condition of that country more than ever to public view. About 93,500,000 persons, for this is the population of the district affected, are sweltering their existences away amid pestilence and misery that show no signs of abating. Hundreds of thousands of pounds in good British gold, good German marks and American corn have been thrown into the country; but judging from the latest advices all this charity is merely as a drop in the oceans.

The famine and its attendant complications appear to exceed in virulence any two previous visitations.

The viceroy, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, and the government are making most ceaseless exertions to meet the terrible emergency, but the stupendous difficulties confronting them prevent the present supplying of relief to more than five millions. In the meantime the States are dotted with heaps of dead and dying and the roads are crowded with ghastly bands seeking to escape from the stricken territories, but who, for lack of food and water, mostly succumb in the attempt. Some of the most hopeless features of the whole affair are contained in the statement of a special correspondent at Simla, who writes:

"Ten times the total relief could be laid out in a single districts without fully relieving its distress. All we can hope for is a succession of good years to put the people on their legs again."

The British districts are reported to be so far escaping the large starvation and mortality that mark the native states, But that their condition is not enviable is evident from the following description by a Bombay correspondent of the scene at Ahmedabad, a city in the presidency of Bombay.

"In the open space upwards of 200 were seated, old and young, being famine personified. The smell arising from their filthy rags was sickening and had attracted myriads of flies. Some, especially the old men, were bony frameworks. A girl, suckling two children, was ghastly to look at, but the little ones, with hollow temples, sunken eyes and cheeks, and the napes of their necks falling in under their skulls, which seemed to overbalance their bodies, and with wisplike arms and legs, were more dreadful still. Many were suffering from disease and numbers had the fever. Those who could work were sent on where tanks were being dug. Others were given a meal and passed on to the poor house."

This picture is from a less seriously affected part of the country. The sufferings in the remoter districts, where the famine is severe, where all the cattle have long since died, where the water is precious and where cholera has now added its dread scourge, can well be imagined.

DEWEY IN ST. LOUIS.

Five Hundred Thousand People Along the Line of Parade.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 5.—With a parade of military and civil organizations of Missouri this afternoon and an informal reception by the Loyal Legion to-night, the two days' celebration in St. Louis in honor of Admiral Dewey came to an end. Probably 500,000 people, including 75,000 from outside points, stood patiently for hours along the line of march to see the admiral, cheered him wildly as he was driven by in the parade, then pressed forward to some new point of vantage on the streets along which the parade wound its way through the business district, to cheer him again. At some points of the parade the crowds were so great that the police were utterly helpless, and dozens of bruised and fainting women and crying children were rescued only by the use of clubs; in some instances the helpless ones being carried out over the heads of the almost immovable mass of people.

PROMINENT POPULISTS

Leave Washington for Sioux Falls to Attend the National Convention.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Senator Butler of North Carolina, Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota, M. C. Gavock of Virginia, N. W. Fitzgerald of West Virginia, and George H. Shibley of New York, headed a party of Eastern Populists that left over the B. & O. railroad to-day for Sioux Falls, S. D., to attend the Populist National Convention to be held there next week. Senator Butler is chairman and Gavock and Fitzgerald are members of the National committee.

Just before he left Senator Butler expressed the decided opinion that Bryan would be nominated by the convention for President by acclamation. Senator Allen, of Nebraska, who is to place Bryan in nomination, left Washington yesterday for his home, whence he will go to Sioux Falls.

British steamer Rappahannock, from Newport News, April 20th, arrived at London leaking and with five plates damaged on the starboard side from collision with the Norwegian steamer Florida, Captain Hansen, from Rotterdam April 19 for Philadelphia. The Florida's damage is not known.

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BRITISH PURSUING THE BOER FORCES

A Running Fight With the Rear Guard of the Retreating Boers.

BRITISH GAIN NO ADVANTAGE

Barton's Brigade Crossed the Vaal River. Situation at Thaba N'Chu Unchanged. Boers Hold Their Position—No Relief of Mafeking.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, May 6, 4.20 A. M.—London has been confidently expecting to have news of the relief of Mafeking before midnight, but at that hour the War Office stated that no further intelligence had been received of Hunter's column, to which the public believed has been assigned the work of relieving the town.

Beyond further details of the occupation of Brandfort, little or no news has come during the night.

A dispatch from Thaba N'Chu, dated May 4th, says that the situation is practically unchanged, the Boers holding their position and sending occasional shells into the British camp. From the top of Thaba N'Chu hill one can see over the Boer camp. The country, through which a number of Boers are trekking, is exceedingly difficult. It is learned that the Boers are trying to draw supplies from the Ladybrand district.

The Seventeenth brigade has moved four miles south, presumably to assist General Brabant if necessary. A dispatch from Aliwal North, dated May 5th, says: "Three hundred captured cattle and horses were brought in last night. The wounded are being gradually moved here from Mafeking."

A dispatch from Cape Town says: "The general feeling here, in which official circles participate, is that Lord Roberts' advance towards Pretoria will be rapid. The Boer prisoners don't anticipate that any effective resistance will be encountered."

Anxiety is felt regarding the fate of Mr. Begbie, who has been arrested in connection with the blowing up of the shell factory at Pretorfa. Consul Hay is watching the accused man's interests.

Boer Movements.

WARRENTON, May 5.—The Boers today vainly attempted to reach the British new gun with their artillery, but some of the shells from the big gun effectually silenced them.

Natives report that the Boers are vacating Christiana, many of them admitting that the war is hopeless, and apparently are trekking from Kipdam and Windsorton northward.

A Running Fight.

WARRENTON, May 5, evening.—The Vaal river has been successfully crossed at Windsorton by Barton's brigade with whom is General Hunter, commanding the division. The Boers have evacuated Windsorton and Klipdam. They are trekking northward and are fighting for all they are worth. Barton is hanging on to their rear and shelling them vigorously. Judging from the clouds of dust, the retreating Boers must be in very large numbers.

LONDON, May 5.—Lord Roberts reports to the War Office under date of Brandfort, May 4th, as follows:

"Hamilton advanced to-day to Nealwelket. He was engaged with the enemy throughout the march. He speaks in terms of praise of the behavior of the troops, especially Broadwood's brigade of cavalry and the mounted infantry."

WRECKED STEAMER VIRGINIA.

Revenue Cutters Ordered to Go in Search of the Missing Men.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Assistant Secretary Spalding has taken measures to rescue, if possible, the fifteen men who abandoned the wrecked steamer Virginia on the Outer Diamond shoals. To-day he ordered the revenue cutter Algonquin, now at Wilmington, N. C., and the cutter Onondaga, which is expected to arrive at Norfolk to-day, to proceed to sea at once in search of the missing men. They left the Virginia in a small boat, and as a heavy sea was going at the time it seems almost certain that they were lost.

NORFOLK, VA., May 5.—The revenue cutter Onandago, Captain Hamlet, has gone in quest of the fifteen seamen drifting in an open boat from the wrecked British tramp steamer Virginia, which went to pieces on Diamond shoals last Wednesday. Little hope is entertained, however, of their rescue, unless, perchance, they are picked up by some sail craft. Up to to-night the boat had not been sighted by any of the steamers arriving here.

WRECKED OFF HATTERAS.

Schooner Hettis J. Dorman, from Swansboro, N. C.—Crew Saved.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAPE HENRY, VA., May 5.—The Weather Bureau observer at Hatteras, N. C., reports that the three-masted schooner Hettis J. Dorman, from Swansboro, N. C., while beating through the outer channel of Diamond shoals, struck a submerged wreck, and sank immediately.

The vessel was sighted by Captain Etheridge of the Cape Hatteras life saving station, who immediately put out with the station lifeboat and succeeded in saving the crew of five men. After striking the wreck the Dorman continued to float with decks under, and when last seen was drifting off about east northeast with the current across the shoals. Owing to her light draught, it is thought she will drift out into the open sea. The crew is being cared for at the Cape Hatteras life saving station. The vessel is a total loss.

Fire destroyed the business part of Glasgow, Ky., yesterday. Several buildings were burned, causing a loss of $150,000; partially insured.

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TO MEET IN CINCINNATI.

National Convention of the Middle-of-the-Road Populists Will Be Held Next Wednesday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—The National Convention of the Middle-of-the-Road Populists will be held in Robinson's Opera House in this city next Wednesday. The decorators were at work on the auditorium to day, placing all sorts of mottoes and streamers on the columns and walls. Across the front of the stage is a large streamer with a quotation from Senator Allen, reading: "We have thrown them over the transom."

When the Fusionists and the Middle-of-the-Roaders split at the meeting of their national committee in Lincoln last February Senator Allen is said to have used the above language and the Middle-of-the-Roaders are said to have replied: "Yes, and you have thrown the party over the transom with you."

There are also inscriptions referring to Senator Butler, chairman of their national committee, and other leaders who favor fusion.

The badges are all characteristic of the middle of the roaders and the tickets of admission are unique. These tickets bear the portraits of Jefferson and Lincoln. Under the portrait of Jefferson are the words: "Equal rights for all; special privileges for none." Under the portrait of Lincoln are the words "A government of the people, for the people, and by the people." At the top of the ticket is the inscription: "Keep in the middleof the road," and at the bottom of the ticket is a quotation from the Omaha platform, "Wealth belongs to him who creates it."

The Reform Press Association meets here on Monday and Tuesday and the State Populist conventions of Ohio and Kentucky will be held on the same days, preparatory to the national gathering of the middle-of-the-roaders on Wednesday.

CORBETT-JEFFRIES.

The Heavy Weight Contest Will Be Decided Next Friday Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 5.—It has been settled that the heavy weight contest between Jim Jeffries and James J. Corbett will be decided at the Seaside Sporting Club, Coney Island, next Friday night. Jeffries and Corbett have been informed by their managers of the recent court decision in reference to licenses and ordered to put on their finishing touches to their training. It is announced that Jeffries will weigh not less than 212 pounds when he enters the ring. Corbett will weigh 190 pounds. Tom O'Rourke, the manager of the Athletic Club, said that he did not expect any interference from the authorities.

HON. W. J. BRYAN

Denies That Ex-Congressman Shivley is a Candidate for the Vice Presidency.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, May 5.—William J. Bryan arrived in the city to-day and lost no time in denying the report from South Bend, Ind., that ex-Congressman Benjamin Shivley, with whom he spent a few hours Friday, was a candidate for the vice presidency with the approval and support of the Nebraskan.

"There is nothing in those reports sent out yesterday from Mr. Shivley's town," said the Democratic leader. "In visiting him I was killing time between engagements. He is not a candidate for second place on the ticket. He has been considered prominently in connection with the governorship, but so far as I know not for a place on the national ticket. I cannot say anything on the vice presidency."

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Appropriation Bills — Pearson-Crawford Case Comes Up Wednesday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5, 1900.—The House to-day passed the Sundry Civil bill. It carries slightly more than $61,500,000; about $10,000,000 more than any previous Sundry Civil bill. The General Deficiency and Military Academy appropiation bills are now the only general supply bills unacted upon by the House.

The Senate amendments to the Army and Fortifications appropriation bills were disagreed to, and the bills were sent to conference.

Notice was given that the Pearson-Crawford contested election case would be called up on Wednesday next.

At 4.20 P. M. the House adjourned.

ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.

Scientists Preparing for the Great Event Scheduled for the 28th Inst.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 5.—Prof. Stone, of the University of Virginia, and director of the Leander McCormick Observatory, is at Winnsboro, this State, where he has selected a location for observing the eclipse of the sun on the 28th instant. He will begin work at once on a great photographic camera 39 feet in length with a lens five inches in diameter. The plates will be triple coated and be 14 by 17 inches in size. For visual study two telescopes will be used.

BANK BURGLARIZED.

Safe Dynamited—Between $6,000 and $10,000 Taken by the Robbers.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PITTSBURG, PA., May 5.—Burglars entered the First National Bank of East Brady, Pa., last night and dynamited the safe, taking everything in sight, including the pennies. The bank officials refused to make a statement to-day of the amount taken, but say the vault contained more silver than two men could carry away. Well informed residents of East Brady estimate the loss all the way from $6,000 to $10,000. There is no clue to the robbers.

Senator Pritchard, of North Carolina, whom the Republican convention of his State endorsed as a candidate for Vice President, says that he was in no sense to be regarded as a candidate for the nomination.

Reel Races, Hook and Ladder contests, bursts of speed by trained horses, athletic contests of all kinds; base ball, foot races, tests of strength, for valuable prizes. Fantastic parade of the Elks. Every Lodge in the State will be in line in fancy costume. Riding Camels, Riding Oxen, Riding Mules, during the 20th of May Gala Week at Charlotte, N. C., provided you take the Seaboord Air Line. 3t

DOCKERY-BELLAMY.

Contested Election Cases to Come Up Before the House of Representatives.

ON REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

Republican Leaders Decide to Press Consideration—Pearson-Crawford Case to Be Called Wednesday—Other Cases May Be Postponed.

[Special Star Telegram.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—A dispatch sent out from this city last night stated that the Republican members of the House Committee on Elections No. 2 yesterday held a conference in reference to the Dockery-Bellamy case. Chairman Weaver, of Ohio, to-day, when asked about the conference, denied that they had ever held one, but said that several of the Republican members of the committee happened to meet in the committee room, and that some one started a conversation on the Dockery-Bellamy case and in the midst of the conversation one of the Democratic members dropped in, and hearing Bellamy's name spoken, immediately rushed out and announced that there had been a conference of Republican members regarding the contest. Notwithstanding Representative Weaver's denial, it is a well known fact that at a conference of the Republican House leaders it was resolved to at once press the immediate consideration of the Pearson-Crawford contest, the Walker-Rhea and the Dockery-Bellamy contests. As a result the reported conference on the Dockery-Bellamy contest was held; as was a Republican conference of the members of Committee No. 2 having in charge the Walker-Rhea case. In both cases the Republican members met and agreed to take up the contests at once. It was also decided to call up the Pearson-Crawford case next week—Wednesday.

At this writing it is impossible to forecast the result in the Pearson-Crawford case. Representative Driscoll, Republican, still stands out for Crawford and may make an explanation in the House in reference to the case, which he terms as "flimsy." In any case the vote will be very close.

In the Bellamy case it is said that two of the Republican members of the committee favor Bellamy's retaining his seat; but nothing can be said positively about the matter, for, as in the Crawford case, there are a dozen rumors floating about, none of which can be authenticated. As there are hardly thirty working days left of this session, provided Congress adjourns June 12th old members of the House say they cannot see how the House can dispose of the Dockery-Bellamy and Walker-Rhea cases before adjournment, and at the same time pass the large number of more important bills now pending. It should be remembered in connection with the Bellamy and Rhea cases, that even provided they are reported on adversely next week, the minority must be allowed at least ten days to prepare and submit their reports. It will be seen from this that it is not probable that the House will be able to dispose of these cases at this session of Congress.

WARM WIRELETS.

A conference of Bryan Populists, bolters from the Populist State convention, held at Fort Worth, Texas, Friday, selected two delegates at large to the Sioux Falls convention.

Sioux Falls, S. D., is rapidly filling up with the advance guard of the National Populist convention. Elaborate preparations have been made for entertaining the large crowd expected.

The amount of bonds so far exchanged at the Treasury for the new two per cent. consols, is $264,419,750, of which $48,335,650 were received from individuals and institutions other than national banks.

The United States transport Meade sailed from Manila for the United States yesterday afternoon with Major General Otis and two aides-de-camp on board. The warships in port fired a Major General's salute as the steamer raised her anchor.

Bishop H. M. Jackson, until recently assistant Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Alabama, is dead, as a result of pneumonia. He was a Virginian by birth and was a brother-in-law of ex-Governor Oates, of Alabama.

At Buffalo, Texas, J. W. Miller was attacked by the four Linson brothers. Miller killed W. T. Linson and L. W. Linson and wounded Edgar Linson. Eugene Linson retreated. Miller was not hurt. He was arrested and gave bond in $100.

Amiel J. Willard, chief justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina during reconstruction days, died suddenly of apoplexy at his home in Washington, D. C., yesterday in his 79th year. He was born in Albany, New York.

"Ethelbert," of the Perry Belmont stables, with Danny Maher up, won the Metropolitan handicap at Morris Park yesterday before 20,000 people. He was favorite in the betting and beat out the card by three lengths "Box" taking second place by a neck from "Imp." The time was 1:41 1-4.

It is authoritatively announced that until the pending issue relative to the payment of the American indemnity claims is settled to the satisfaction of the State Department, no United States minister will attend at the Turkish capital.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, increase $1,095,800; loans, increase $13,221,400; specie, increase $2,010,900; legal tenders decrease $1,166,500 deposits, increase $16,092,800; circulation, increase $89,800. The banks now hold $15,878,475 in excess of the legal requirements.

A crowd of children were playing under an old shed at Waycross, Ga., when one of them knocked down a post supporting the structure. The roof fell in burying the entire crowd in the ruins. One small boy had his head crushed, killing him instantly; another had a leg and arm broken, while a number of others were severely injured.

Watch for dates of special trains by the Seaboard Air Line to the celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence at Charlotte, N. C., May 22-23-24-25th. 3t

Twenty-five dozen gent's Scrivens drawers offered this week at Polvogt's at 59c a pair. †

NEW YORK TRUCK QUOTATIONS.

Market Prices as Telegraphed the Star Yesterday—Activity Prevails

[Special Star Telegrams.]

NEW YORK, May 5.—Sales of berries to day were for the most part at prices ranging from 14 to 18 cents per quart. Green peas continue in demand at $2.50 per bushel, and cabbage at $2.25 to $2.50 per barrel. Asparagus is quoted at from $2 to $2.50 per dozen bunches. The market is generally active.

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NEW YORK, May 5.—Fancy "Hoffman" berries are quoted this morning at from 14 to 16 cents per quart; "Middleton's" at 17 to 18 cents, and "Thompson's" at 12 to 14 cents. Green peas are bringing from $1.50 to $2.50 per bushel basket. Cabbage are from $1.50 to $2.50 per barrel.

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STANDARD OIL STRIKERS.

Rioting at Constable Hook, N. J.—Two of the Ringleaders Arrested.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The strikers at the Standard Oil Works at Constable Hook, N. J., made a determined effort to-day to prevent men from going to work in their places. Every man that attempted to enter the works was assaulted. Several shots were fired by the rioters, but no one was hit. The police and deputy sheriffs that had been guarding the works repeatedly charged the rioters and used their clubs with vigor. Two of the ringleaders of the strikers were arrested. The police and deputies have been reinforced and any further attempt at rioting will be promptly suppressed.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis, 1.
Boston—Boston, 13; Philadelphia, 10.
Chicago—Cincinnati, 3; Chicago, 4.
Brooklyn—New York, 8; Brooklyn, 3.

Other Games.

Richmond—Richmond, 14; Petersburg, 1.
Chapel Hill—University of North Carolina, 5; University of Maryland, 3.

The indictment against Republican Governor Taylor was not made public, but it is said to have been entered on record in a batch of orders at the close of the term of court in Frankfort last night.

Democrats of the Ninth Congressional district of Missouri have renominated Congressman Champ Clark without opposition.

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One lot made Veils, 35c value, this week 19c
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$1.25 value Fancy Stripe Underskirt $1.10
15c value Colored Lawns and Fancy Dimity, this week 10c
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25c French Organdies, this week 19c
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40c value Turkey Red Damask, this week 30c
15c value Linen Huck Towel, this week 12c
40c value Turkish Bath Towel, this week 30c
35c value Turkish Bath Towel, this week 25c
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And She Came Back and Said

They were $1.50 cheaper than she could find them anywhere else in the city, and so it is—we have a lot of ladies' extra fine quality of Shoes in small sizes, 1s, 2½, 3½s, 3s, 3½, lasts C, D, E. These Shoes sold at $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50. We will sell any of them at $1.00 a pair. They are worth twice the money we charge for them. We also have a regular line of ladies' Shoes from 98c to $3. Men's Shoes that cost $1.25 else where, we sell at $1. Better grade, higher price.